

PATENT
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:)
Martin E. Marcichow)
Serial No.: 10/775,294)
Filed: February 10, 2004)
Group Art No.: 3753)
Examiner: John A. Rivell)
For: Filtering Seal For A)
Fluid Control Valve)

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION OF AUGUST 21, 2006

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed August 21, 2006. Please consider the
Remarks as follows.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this response.